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PROYECTO VALLE DE NACO  
CATALOG FORM

DATE: 22 Dec 96

LOT NUMBER: 53J/64

SUBSTANCE: Ceramic

OBJECT: Figurine / ocarina

CATALOG #: 53J/64-8

MULTIPLES? no DRAWN BY: J

CATALOGED BY: J

PASTE GROUP: F

CENSER FORM CODE:

EXCAVATOR:

HGT/LENGTH: 2.7cm

WIDTH: 3.2cm

THICKNESS: 0.5cm

DIAMETER:

VERBAL DESCRIPTION: This is a hollow - solid fragment of a hollow - solid, anthropomorphic - zoomorphic - unknown type of figurine. Size is small - medium - large can't tell.

Back is convex - concave - flat - complexly curved - too small to assess - absent.

Edges are rounded - smoothed - cut/trimmed - flat - absent.

Exterior shows smoothing - wiping - burnishing <sup>on back</sup> - irregularities - undulations - roughness - unclear finish.

Firing core is central - interiorly shifted - present only in thick areas - absent.

Burning is present - absent - post-deposition. If present, where:

Fire-clouding is present - absent - post-deposition. If present, where:

Drawn - Not drawn. Piece is not - slightly - moderately - very - extremely - eroded; and/or battered

Interior shows front-back joint/seam - finger impressions - fingernail marks - clay layers -

webbed or "wet" look from fingers - striations - gouges - clay scraps - clay curls - smoothing - wiping - other.

Slip: yes no. If yes, where:

Paint: yes no. If yes, where:

Decoration/comments: Could be an ocarina -- has a stop-like hole on the front. Seems to be an animal head projection, spotted. Edge of headdress has ~~short~~ <sup>shallow</sup> groove, perpendicular to margin of headdress. Rather unclear on the whole.